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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Adrian P. Wise, et al.

Application No.: 09/773,473

Filed: February 1, 2001

For: MULTISTANDARD VIDEO
DECODER AND DECOMPRESSION
SYSTEM FOR PROCESSING
ENCODED BIT STREAMS INCLUDING A
STANDARD-INDEPENDENT STAGE
AND METHODS RELATING THERETO

Examiner: NGUYEN, Dustin

Art Unit: 2154

Confirmation No.: 4618

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action mailed March 8, 2004, please amend the above-identified Application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.